

NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR THE PROPOSED
CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW 2-MILE RAILROAD CONNECTOR
IN NORTHEAST PEMBROKE

TIP P-4900

Robeson County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold a Citizens Informational Workshop for the above-mentioned railroad project on Tuesday, June 30, 2009, between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. at the Town of Pembroke -Town Hall, located at 100 South Union Chapel Road, Pembroke, 28372.

NCDOT representatives will be available in an informal setting to answer questions and receive comments about the proposed project. The opportunity to submit written comments and/or questions will also be provided and are encouraged. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the above mentioned hours. Please note: there will be no formal presentation.

NCDOT proposes to construct a new railroad connecting track on the northeast side of Pembroke, and would like to present the alternatives being considered and obtain public input. This new connector would provide a direct link between Fayetteville and the Wilmington / Southport area and would provide a by-pass for some trains that currently move through downtown Pembroke.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Marc Hamel, Environmental & Planning Branch, Rail Division at (919) 733-7245 x 270 or email: mhamel@ncdot.gov or Paul Koch, Stantec Consultants, phone: (919) 815-6866 or email: Paul.Koch@stantec.com.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Mr. Hamel as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.